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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, which includes a completed Form PTO/SB/08a.

This application is the United States National Phase of International Patent Application No. PCT/JP04/18384, which claims priority to Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-411288.

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The Chinese Patent Office issued Notification of Second Office Action on September 18, 2009 in corresponding Chinese Patent Application No. 2004800367509. A copy of this Notification and an English-translation thereof is submitted herewith.

The Chinese Notification of Second Office Action cites two references. Cited reference JP 11-26326 was previously submitted in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted June 29, 2009. Accordingly, a copy of this reference is not submitted herewith and this reference is not cited on Form PTO/SB/08a.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1), the undersigned hereby certifies that each item of information cited on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a was first cited in a communication mailed September 18, 2009, from the Chinese Patent Office in a counterpart Chinese application not more than three months prior to the filing of the accompanying Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(1), no fee is believed to be due for the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement as it is being submitted within three months of the date of the Chinese Notification of Second Office Action and includes a statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1). Nevertheless, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650.

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